# THE PRESIDENT

onsolidated Committee to Call

ASK HIM TO NORFOLK

They Will Also Thank Him for His Kind Words to Jamestown Tercentenary.

tee from the Council of Norfolk and a similar body from the Board of Trade hingion, where they will be received by President Roosevelt Saturday and ten him an invitation to visit Norfolk on his Southern trip. The committee resident for his favorable recomtion regarding the Jamestown Ex-

nendition regarding the Jamestown Exsosion in his message to Consress.

\_MUST SUPPORT WIVES.

J.W. Haskett, it solicitor and collector
or a local life insurance company, aressed upon a Corporation Court indictnist found against him by the grand
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sen released from Jall under a personal
sind. Haskett effected a compromise
with his wife by agreeing to pay her \$5
sr week for the next fifty-two weeks and
adage Hanckel yesterday released him.
L. W. Pittis, also indicted by the grand
ty for deserting and falling to provide
r his wife and children, is now in jall.
Rev, J. T. Riddick, pastor of the Spurson Memorial Laptist Church, Bramblein, who had under consideration a call
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om the Fairmount Baptist Church, Richcond, last night decided to decline the
time and remain in Norfolk,
TO ATTEND INAUGURATION,
A conference between the staff officers
the Seventy-first Virginia Infantry will
held at an early date to consider ways
d means for developing prospective
ans to take the twelve companies of
a command to Washington for the inigural parade, March 4th.
Henry Seelinger, proprietor of a saloon

the Goodrich liquor ordinance tr. Selinger took an appeal to the Cor-praish Court, giving bond in the sum c \$23, with A. Lagorio as surety.

#### RANCHISE TO BELL.

Sold Train Load of Tobacco. Ell Open Their New Hall.

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(I) to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYN-BURG, VA. Jan. 5—The Comcon Coeli this afternoon by a vote of
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which has no franchise.
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The Lobourg Lodge of Elks to-night

Trader, a Free Man.

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AANGER THAN FICTION. A Refy Which Has Revolutionied the atment of Stomach Troubles.
The needy is not heralded as a wonderful scovery nor yet a secret patent media, neither is it claimed to cure anyth except dyspepsia, indigestion and much troubles with which nine

and much troubles with which nine out ten suffer.
Themsely is in the form of pleasant sling tablets or lozenges, containing factable and fruit essences, pure saccopepain (government test), golden scand diastase. The lablets are sold by highests under the name of Stuart's Depisia Tablets. Many interesting experients to test the digestive power of sitts Tablets show that one grain of choitive principle contained in them is select to accoughly digest 3,000 grains of aw meat, eggs and other wholesome of the sufficiency of the sufficiency of the sufficient to accoughly digest 3,000 grains of the sufficient to account of the sufficient to accou

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If the stomach can be rested and assisted in the work of digestion it will yeary soon recover its normal visor, as no organ is so much abused and overworked as the stomach.

This is the secret, if there is any secret, of the remarkable success of Laris

## THEY WILL INVITE Wound's DINNER TO THE

and sores of any kind, caused by any kind of accident, cuts, burns, scalds, bruises, sprains, etc., are best treated by the immediate ap-plication of

# HAMLINS

remedy relieves pain, reduces swelling and inflammation, and heals up all open wounds and sores. It is the one perfect, modern dressing, or treatment, for a wound. Its quick use will positively prevent blood poisoning. Always keep it at hand.

Says Mrs. Jessie Farris, of Elizabeth, Ky.: 'My little boy was badly burned on both legs, which were so drawn out of shape that he could not even crawl. I tried many remedies without relief, but finally Hamlins Wizard Oil made a perfect cure, and he can now walk and run. We thought we should have to amputate both his legs, and feel that Hamlins Wisard Oil saved his life." Price 50c and

Bold and recommended by

## All Druggists.

Trader, and the two families had been in a state of turmoli over since. The quarrel reached its height last July, when the cider Trader and his son, Luther Trader, assaulted Smith, who, lying on the ground, shot and killed young Trader and wounded his father-in-law.

Smith has been in jail ever since, unable to secure ball, and was delighted to again be a free man. His wife was present when the jury brought in the verdict, and was the happiest person in the courthouse.

#### A MERRY CHASE.

Officers Capture Twelve-Year Old Murderer After Long Search.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Jan. 5.—Little
Theophilus Robinson, the I2-year-old
negro, who has been leading the local
Police Department a merry chase since
Monday, was captured near Big Bethel,
in Elizabeth City county, this afternoon.
The boy shot and fatally wounded Edward Blake, a white newsboy, Monday
during a rock battle between white and
negro youngsters.

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Larkins, a negro janitor, who is alleged to nave advised the fugilive to take to the woods, was arrested to-night on the charge of obstructing justice.

### AN OWL TRAIN.

Night Accommodation Between Ashland and Richmond.

Ashland and Kichmond.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ASHLAND, ava., Jan. 5.—There has
been so much demand for a night train
between Ashland and Richmond, to be
known as the "Owl" train, that the railroad officials have determined to make a
test of this demand at once, and will opcrate this week a night train, leaving
gliba Station, Richmond, va., next Fridny and Saturday nights, January 6th
and 7th, at 11:45.

Particular note will be made of the
patronage of this train these nights,
with a view to determining what the real
demand is for such additional service.

A large number will take advantage of
this night train to attend the opera on

### OLIVER MURDER TRIAL.

Evidence All in and a Decision Will be Reached To-day.

Mrs. Gibbs Burned to Death.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CAPPE CHARLES, VA., Jan. 5.—Mrs. E.
C. Gibbs, residing near Cheapside, this
county, was fatally burned by the explosion of a lamp in her home at 9:30 o'clock
ast night, and ded at 3 o'clock this morning. She leaves a husband and six children. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning.

### Musical Recitation.

At the high school "Patrons' Day" will be celebrated at 130 P. M. to-day.

Mrs. Elex. Guigon will visit the high school and give the second of her musical recitations, while Mr. Guigon will make explanatory remarks.

Friends and patrons of the high school are cordialy invited to be present.

## AGED FATHER ON STAND REVEALS NOTHING NEW

Gray-Haired Parent of Mabel Page Principal Witness at. Murder Trial.

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Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be found at all drug stores and ...e regular use of one or two of them after meals will demonstrate their merits better than any other argument.

Alexander Ham-

BOY KILLED BY A BRICK

Little Henry P. Bain, of Columbia, S. C., Buried From Grand-

mother's Home in Petersburg.

PETERSBURG, VA., January 5 .- Mr. Alexander Hamilton gave a dinner tolight to the Peterstairg Bar Association. Judge Kelth, Judge Ingram and Judge

The Hustings Court, which adjourned yesterday for the December term, meets on the third Thursday in 'each month, but as the date is January 19th, General Lee's birthday, Judge Mullen will postpone the meeting until the following Friday or Monday.

KILLED BY A BRICK.

The funeral of Henry Plummer Bain, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bain, of Columbia, S. C., took place were to-day from the home of his grandammer invented by Mr. Louis Paulèro,

of this city.

The new double track bridge on the
Atlantic Coast Line Rallroad at Swift
Creek has been completed.

## MOTION AGAIN TO

were situated the ourned bindings.

ness said Charlie Forbes, who is jointly indicted with Wooldridge, told him that Wooldridge could not tell anything on him which would not also be against Wooldridge. This statement was not allowed by the court to go to the jury. A Pathetic Witness.

A Merchant's Testimony.

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Mr. Phyne, a merchant, testified that he had a conversation with Wooldridge the day of the burial of Forbes, and Wooldridge said that the man who did this had murdered Mr. Forbes, and that he ought to be hung for it.

In a conversation at Dick Forbes's, witness expressed opinion that Charlle Forbes did the burning. Wooldridge said: No. Charlle did not do it, and, to show how he stood, he would say that if Charlle did it, he did it, too.

Witness dold [prisoner that he had heard it suggested that if Charlle Forbes did the burning that Wooldridge had part in it.

fense for the preparation of their evi

Charles Morgan, a witness for the prose-



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Rnowing the contents of the message.

Watch Night Train.

John H. Sears agent and operator at Appomatiox, was called by the defense to impeach Morgan, and was asked it Andls Forbes and Charlie Morgan came to his office on Sunday, any the 22d. He stated that a Mr. Forbes and Mr. Morgan (did not know what Mr. Morgan) came into his office and wanted to send a telegram to Lynchburg. The mossage was to watch the night trains and arrest Charlie Forbes. Charlie Morgan was called before the witness and identified as the person who sent the message. His memory was accurate about the sending of the message. Witness was prepared to say that Morgan knew the contents of the message.

The examination of Elkin Agee had begun when Mr. Hubard interrupted the proceedings and asked the court to send the jury out, and hear the evidence of J. H. Morgan, as to the incompetency of one of the jurors.

Witness was asked as to any statement he had heard by Juror Venable as to his opinion of circumstantial evidence, and stated that Venable on the train said, in speaking of the Wooldridge and McCue cases, that he did not believe in hanging a man on circumstantial evidence.

Poll the Jury.

The court then announced that he would Watch Night Train.

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stated that he was on the Southern train and this gentleman here (identifying Venable) said that he did not believe in hang-ing on circumstantial evidence; that he did not believe in circumstantial evidence; that he stated that he had been summon-ed as a juror in the Wooldridge case. The witness is a traveling man, and a nephew of John S. Forbes, whose build-ings were burned.

Witness said this occurred sometime between the 1st and 15th of December.
George Morris was then placed upon the stand and repeated what he had previously testified to that Mr. E. W. Venable, a member of the jury, had said in his house that he would not hang a man on circumstantial evidence.

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Juror Venable remembered being on Southern Railway and having talked with Mr. G. S. Wing, and his whole conversation was upon the McCue case. He had often said he wouldn't hang on circumstantial evidence unless the case was made very clear. Did not recall Morgan stating to him that he ought not to serve on this case.

Lonsford Butcher, a Juror, was put on the stand; on yesterday had conversation with Mr. Venable. Venable said: "Butcher, old boy, I am afraid I ought not to be on this jury."

The jury was then, sent out, and Mr. E. W. Hubard then asked that Juror Venable be withdrawn and another juror put in his place.

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This motion was eloquently and forcibly opposed by the attorneys for the defense. Congressman Flood and Mr. William Lancaster and Attorney Aubrey Strode, of Amherst, who is aiding in the prosecution, then in an able, eloquent and forcible speech, insisted on the discharge of the jury.

At the end of the argument the court decided to take time to consider the motion for dismissal of the jury.

Juror Venable asked permission to address the court, and said that he took the oach to try this case fairly and to do his duty, and that he wished to say this to the court, lawyers, and to the people of Farmville.

air. Venable is a man of high standing in the county, and it is believed that the remarks he made, if any, about not con-victing on circumstantial evidence were idle talk.

St. Clair-Easley.

pers and magazines; among some of them is "The Success" and "Literary Digest." The happy couple took the north-bound afternoon train for New York, their future home. This couple had been sweethearts for ten years, but had not made up their minds to marry until Mr. St. Clair's visit to Miss Easley this Christmas.

### DEATHS.

COTTRELL.—Died, Jan. 5th, at 2:15 P. M., at his residence, No. 810 West Clay Street, ROBERT S. COTTRELL, 59 years of age.
Funeral notice later.

CONE, Died. Wednesday. January 4th, 11:20 P. M., at 115 E. Franklin Street, Mrs. MARY ELIZABETH OONE, widow of E. W. Cone. Funeral FRIDAY, January 6th, from Grace Street Presbyterian Church, Fourth and Grace Streets, at 12 o'clock.

HALLIHAN.—Died, January 4, 1005, 2:45
P. M., at her parents' residence, 1705
Cedar Street, JULIA ROSALIE, youngest daughter Daniel and Mary Hallhan,
Funeral will take place SATURDAY,
January 7th, at 10 A. M. from St. Peter's
Cathedral, Friends of the family invited to attend. Interment Mt. Calvary,

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MEYER.—Died, at his residence, 2000 W.
Leigh Street, at 2 P. M. Mr. LOUIS F.
MEYER. Sr., after an illness of several
months, He leaves a wife and six children—Louis F., Mrs. Margaret Clucci,
Ernest S., Nora A., George A. and August D.; two sisters, Mrs. John Sohrocher, Mrs. R. F. Pearman, and one
brother, Mr. August Meyor.

Funeral THIS (Friday) AFTERNOON
at 3 o'clock from St. Mary's German
Catholic Church. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

Washington (D. C.) and New York
papers please copy.

Peacefully Jay him down to rest.

Peacefully lay him down to rest, Spread the turf kindly over his breast; Sweet is the slumber beneath the sod, While his pure soul is restling with God. Peacefully sleep, beloved husband and father,

father, Rest from thy toll, thy labor is done: Sleep illi the trumpet from the opening skies Blds thee from dust to glory arise. WILLS.—Died, at her home, in Lynch-burg, yesterday morning at 1:30, Mrs. JOHN WILLS daughter of Mr. P. R. Norment, of this city, Interment at Lynchburg.

WASHINGTON.—Died, at her residence, No. 7 West Jackson Street, January 5, 1905, at 8:45 A. M., Mrs. ELIZABETH WASHINGTON. Funeral notice later,

## The Rug and Drugget Sale

814 East Main Street,

The initial day of our big Rug and Drugget Sale has been a decided success.

Buyers of Floor Coverings were quick to realize the splendid savings afforded and quick to profit by such an opportunity.

The magnitude of the offering, however, was such that there is still rich choosing amongst exceptional bargains from the "Smith Sale" and from a superb addition of best qualities from our own show rooms.

The average saving is more than 33 per cent. The sale continues for the balance of the week at 814 East Main Street, next to R. L. Christian & Co.

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## THOMAS NELSON CONRAD DIES IN WASHINGTON

Was One of Stuart's Most Distinguished Scouts Dur-

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

inguished scouts of General J. 15. Stuart, and was in Washington several times during the war, seeking information for his during the war, seeking information for his description of the seeking information for the following the seeking in the seeking in the seeking the

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Rosalie Haas.

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Mrs. Rosalie Haas, beloved wife of Mr. Sannuel Haas, and endeared daughter of the late Bernard and Regim Haas, of New York city, died last Sunday morning at the residence of her niece, Mrs. J. Malbon Barr, No. 134 Bermuda Street, Norfolk, Va. The funeral, which took place last Tuesday, was largely attended. The service at the house was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Bernard Eberson, who performed the marriage ceremony twenty-four years ago, and the service at the grave was conducted by the Rev. Dr. S. R. Cohen, of Ohof Sholom Templa. As the remains were being lowered into the grave Miss Grace Kerns sang as a solo "Nearor My God to Thee."

The floral display was one of the handsomest ever seen in this section. The casket, gray cloth, with dull silver handles, was covered by a floral blanket made of Brides' roses, fringed with hyacinta and malden-hair ferns. The blanket made of Brides' roses, fringed with hyacinta sinule by six feet in size and we straus family of Richmend, Yan and Charleston, W. Va., particular friends of the deceased. Among the many other beautiful joral out-of-town designs was a lovely pillow sent by the Blocce of the deceased in Charleston, much beautiful design from the lime of platiners, and beautiful design from the lime of platiners. Beautiful design from the lime of platiners, Mess Storn, William H. Hamburger, Samuel E. Reinhardt, of Baltimore, and Max Schwan.

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The funeral of Miss Julia Hallihan, the eighteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel. Hallihan. Will take place from St. Peter's Cathedral on Saturday, January Sth. at 10 A. M. and the interment will take place at Mount Calvary. Mass. Hallihan had been sick about three months. Besides her parents she leeves two brothers. Messrs. Jerry and John Hallihan, and two sisters, Misses Nello and Manuel Hallihan. Her father, who is an inspector for the Norfolk and Western Rallroad, was home for the holidays, and left on Saturday night for West Virginia. He is expected back in time for the function.

the Interment was made in Oakwood.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Cone.

Robert S. Cotrell.

Mrs. Lily M. Hastings. Mrs. Lily M. Hastings died in Hartford, Conn. Wednesday in the fittleth year of her age. Sho was formerly Miss Lily M.New, of this city, and a daughter of the late James W. and Louisa G. New, of this city. She leaves one brother, Mr. N. W. New, of Richmond, manager of T. G. Dilly theseos fastery.

urday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Miss M. T. Holloway. of eighty years. She had a large fam

Funeral of Mr. Baldwin.

BOSTON, MASS, Jan. 5.—The body of William H. Baldwin, Jr., late president of the Long Island Rallroad Company, who died Tuesday at Locust Green, W., arrived here to-day on a special train, and funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Samuel R. Elliott. Mr. Baldwin's body was cremated. Mrs. Lucy Randolph Bratton.

MOBILE, ALA., Jan. 6.—A special from Jackson, Miss., says:

"Mrs. Lucy Randolph Bratton, wife of Bishop Theodore Bratton, of this diocese, died to-day of nephritis, aged 41 years.

Henry V. Poor.

(By Associated Brass.)

DOSTON, Jan. 5.—Henry V. Poor, widely known for many years as a railroid authority and an expert on financial affuirs, is dead at his home in Brookline. He was born in Maine in 1818. IMMANUEL'S NEW PASTOR

Rev. Mr. Stone Arrives and Will Preach on Sunday.

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Bey, E. W. Stone, new paster of Immanuel Baptist Church, arrived in the city yesterday, accompanied by his wife and two daughters. They were met by a committee from the church and escorted to the home of Mrs. Abraham, No. 900 East Leigh Street, where they will be located until they move into their home, No. 807 East Leigh Street, a their home, No. 807 East Leigh Street.

Rey, Mr. Stone will preach at Immanuel on Sunday, both morning and night. There will be an installation service in the afternoon at 4 o'clock, in which a number of the city pastors will take part. Mr. Stone will probably be with the Young People's Union of the church at its weekly meeting to-night.

COMMUTATION.

Governor Aycock Saves the Life of George W. Daniels.

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Funeral of Mr. Cook.

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now \$12,50. Ladles' Suits, former price \$30, now \$15.00 Ladies' Suits, former price \$40, now #20,00,

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